

G.T.P. LINE IS LOCATED TO THE FOOTHILLS

Rails Will be Laid to Touchwood Hills by September and
the Road Will Help Move Next Years Crop

Montreal, Apr. 18. W. F. Morse, vice-president of the G.T.P. announced tonight that 200 miles are located west of Edmonton bringing the road pretty well up to the foot of the Rockies. This additional section will be put under contract at an early date making 1,500 miles under construction from Lake Superior to the foothills. Twelve

NEW AGENT FOR EDMONTON

Canadian Northern Will Bring St.
Paul Man For City Ticket Agent

St. Paul, April 18.—William E. Dunn has been appointed city ticket agent of the Canadian Northern at Edmonton and will assume his duties on May 1. He has been assistant city ticket agent for the Milwaukee road in this city. Before taking the position he is vacating Dunn served in the Canadian Northern passenger department at Winnipeg.

McDOUGALL BECOMING A BUSINESS STREET

One of the most striking objects in real estate in Edmonton is the recent advance in prices on McDougall street property. Apparently McDougall street has been overlooked in the past by investors in business realty but the purchase of the post office site there has awakened many of them to the fact that it is one of the most centrally located streets in the city and is due to become one of the principle business thoroughfares. Besides the post office, the city will undoubtedly build the new civic buildings

surveying parties are on the mountains and base locations will be out as soon as the report is received. Work will soon be in full blast between Touchwood Hills and the Saskatchewan, and rails will be laid between Portage la Prairie and Touchwood Hills by September 1st. Mr. Morse believes the Grand Trunk Pacific will help move the crop of 1907.

on the north corner of McDougall and Rice, now occupied by the Heinrich residence, and a little further up on the west side of McDougall street, the city has a half lot which it is the intention to utilize as a site for the telephone central.

The city market brings practically the whole agricultural trade into that section of the city, which of course, will always be the case.

McDougall street has the additional advantage of being the street which leads to the bridge and consequently the entire traffic from across the river merges onto Jasper at the junction with McDougall.

It is rather remarkable that while all the other streets paralleling McDougall have been given business lot prices, McDougall until very recently has been considered a residence street and has been valued as such. The steady advance in property values along McDougall have made during the last six months indicate that its merits are being realized. Competent authorities consider the banks and offering splendid sites for banks and financial institutions.

SIMMONS' ELECTION PROCLAIMED

Lethbridge, April 17.—The declaration of the returning officer was made today. The vote was as follows: Simmons 543; Sherman 463; Keffer 231. All challenges were withdrawn. This makes a total vote of 1,237, exceeding the vote in the general election by 107. The Conservative loses his deposit.

AWFUL LOSS OF LIFE BY AN EARTHQUAKE

Ten Thousand People Believed to Have Perished In the Ruins of Buildings—Operators
Fled the Scene, Wires Are Down and Communication Cut Off.

SAN FRANCISCO BUSINESS SECTION RUINED

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., APRIL 18.—Ten thousand people are believed to have lost their lives in an earthquake shortly after 5 o'clock this morning. Telegraph operators have fled from the shaking buildings, thus cutting off communication from the devastated city to the east. No definite details can be secured, but an appalling loss of life is believed to have resulted. Fires broke out in the collapsed buildings, and owing to the damage to the water mains there was no water to fight the flames. From Sacramento and Los Angeles also come reports of damage and the wires from these places are also down.

Chicago, April 18.—The telegraphic companies here are entirely without wires to San Francisco. The Sacramento office of the Western Union reports a very severe earthquake west of Los Angeles, and reports having lost all wires at 5:13 a.m. Considerable damage from the earthquake is reported as having occurred in the city of Sacramento as well as in San Francisco. The San Francisco office reported that numbers of buildings had collapsed, and that the dead and injured were being taken from the ruins as quickly as possible. At the time this message came through the principal danger was from fires, a number of which had started and were making great headway on account of the lack of water.

The following was received from Logan & Bryan to the Cummings Commission Co., grain and stock brokers, etc.:

Sacramento, April 18.—At 5:13 a.m. a terrific earthquake struck San Francisco and vicinity, and the last reports we got indicate that the entire business district is completely demoralized. All wires to San Francisco are down. We will advise you later if we succeed in getting any further news. The whole city is on fire and no water is available, as the reservoir and pumping stations have been destroyed.

Another dispatch says: An earthquake visited the city this morning. It is reported that the entire business section of the city has been destroyed.

At 8:30 this morning the postal telegraph Co. here states that the only information obtainable from the west was that the operators at San Francisco had left their buildings in that city and reported that many buildings were collapsing and that many fires were breaking out with no water available to fight the flames, and people were fleeing from the affected districts.

San Francisco, April 18.—A terrible earthquake struck the city at 5:13 this morning, throwing the entire business section into ruins. At 6 o'clock the entire city appears to be in flames. Both the Western Union and Postal Telegraph Companies' big buildings are wrecked, and communication with the outside world is demoralized.

New York, April 18.—A report reaches here that an earthquake struck San Francisco this morning. The shock was felt at 5:13 "San Francisco time." Following the wrecking of the buildings many fires broke out. The Postal telegraph office was wrecked and communication was lost at 8:50 "New York time." There has been no telegraphic communication with San Francisco for more than half an hour.

New York, April 18.—At about 9:40 the Postal Telegraph Co. had communication with their San Francisco office, but lost the communication again.

Oakland, Cal., April 18.—The Western Union has now a wire open from here. The fire is confined to the centre section of the city, and the loss of life is not so serious as at first reported.

RED DEER BANQUETTED LEGISLATORS LAST NIGHT

Lieutenant-Governor, Ministers and Members Entertained at
a Brilliant Function

Red Deer, April 18.—Red Deer did itself proud at the banquet last night furnished to the Lieutenant-Governor, the Government and the members of the legislature. The banquet was spread in the Arlington hotel and the large dining room was beautifully decorated with festoons of Norway pine and Easter lilies shot through with myriads of electric lights giving a wonderfully artistic and handsome effect.

Mayor Michener was chairman of the evening. To his right and left sat Governor Bulyea, Premier Rutherford, John T. Moore, Dr. Gaetz, and the Cabinet ministers. There were present besides the parliamentarians the councillors, ex-mayors and ex-members of the Red Deer council, Comptroller Wood, of the Mounted Police, Major Saunders. Fifteen representatives of the press and a few guests of the pioneers of Red Deer, making in all about one hundred of a party.

The capital was the principal subject of the evening, but this oratory was very broad in its scope and occasionally rose to a high standard of eloquence.

Dr. Gaetz proposed the first toast to "Canada," and in so doing paid an eloquent compliment to Earl Grey and Lieutenant-Governor Bulyea, and in replying the Governor delivered an excellent address reminding the members of the importance of the duty imposed upon them in laying the foundations of the provincial life, and ringing with the true western spirit of loyalty to the empire and that part of it in which we live.

Premier Rutherford proposed the toast to "The Army and Navy and Military Forces," and in so doing made a most important announcement to the effect that the provincial Government has practically concluded arrangements with Comptroller Wood, by which the Mounted Police are to be retained in Alberta on the present status. Colonel Saunders replied briefly.

John T. Moore, in speaking for Red Deer, made a most eloquent address

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Opposition Knocks Immigration

Ottawa, April 17.—It is evident that the Opposition intends doing all it can to stop immigration to Canada as the only way that the unprecedented prosperity that prevails all over Canada can be impeded and the Government can be impeached and the Government members tonight spoke against any expenditure for bringing more people to Canada. Mr. Foster stated plainly that he was going to adopt the usual policy

which obstructionists take of demanding all kinds of information about every dollar that was spent for immigration purposes. The whole evening was spent in talk of this kind and not a dollar was passed in supply. The leading Conservatives said it was merely a preliminary canter as far as immigration was concerned. Mr. Oliver explained the new bonus system, which was to be confined to agricultural classes.

RECORD RUSH OF COLONISTS

Over One Thousand Immigrants
Passed Through Twin Cities
Yesterday

St. Paul, Minn., Ap. 17.—To-day was a record breaker in the arrivals of colonists bound for the Canadian West. Over 1000 passed through the Twin Cities. The Soo, Northern Pacific and Great Northern were all obliged to run trains in sections to-day for their homeseeking traffic. The colonists came from southern Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, the Ohio river valley and parts east.

MAIN STREET LOT CHANGING HANDS

Jasper avenue property is still moving. Yesterday afternoon Herb Bowen put through another large deal in which he sold the lot next the office of N. P. Harbottle on Jasper avenue near Second street, to two local business men, one of whom is a contractor. The lot which is No. 160, block 2, was owned by Robert Tesler, and the price paid to Mr. Bowen was \$27,500, or \$550 a foot. The purchasers will in all probability use the property for building purposes. The corner lot No. 159, on which is Mr. Harbottle's office, was sold last fall to Messrs. Rattenbury & Ker, who paid \$30,000, or \$600 a foot, for the property. These gentlemen will also erect a building in this near future.

BASEBALL EXECUTIVE MEET

The executive committee of the senior baseball club will meet in the office of McDougall & Secord this evening at 6 o'clock sharp. A full attendance is urgently requested as there are several matters of business to be transacted. The members of the committee are Messrs. W. G. Ibbotson, Buckston, H. Deaton, C. Race, John McDougall, H. H. Hull, and Dr. Till. The executive committee of the senior club will meet tonight at six in the offices of McDougall and Secord.

CALGARY MAY HAVE THE CARS

Company Negotiating For Franchise
Will Open a Residential Suburb

Calgary, Apr. 17.—E. H. Nichols, of Jones and Nichols, appeared before the commissioners yesterday morning with a verbal proposition from Toronto and Calgary capitalists to build a street railway in the city of Calgary. The commissioners after listening to his offer requested him to put it in writing to be submitted to the city council at the next meeting.

The petitioners ask permission to construct eight miles of street railway. In return for this franchised they agree to pay the city five per cent of their gross earnings, when the population of the city reaches 20,000, or at the end of five years from the granting of the charter if the city should not reach that figure before then. They guarantee to have cars running by December 1st of this year, and as soon as the franchise is granted they promise to put four motor buses into operation; two of which shall be motor buses of 20 h.p. with a capacity of twelve persons each, and two of 30 h.p. with a capacity of 20 persons each. The majority of the board of directors are to be citizens of Calgary.

R. P. Ingalls undertook to be promoting the company. When asked who were the capitalists behind it, Mr. Nichols said there were several Toronto men and two well known citizens of Calgary whose names he was not authorized to divulge just yet. The same man who is behind the street railway proposal expect to open up a tract of land either east or west of the present city limits on the line of their road and make it into an attractive suburb.

WALL PAPERS

We have just opened up and placed in stock another half car load of wall paper. This gives us the largest stock in Alberta. Prices range from 12 1/2c per roll up to any price. We have also a great variety of specials for decorative purposes.

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\$3100, three lots in East End, close in to Jasper, five roomed house and stable, nicely fenced, this is good buying; terms are easy, corner position.

\$500, two lots corner position; high and dry. Government avenue; payments easy.

\$20,000, 11 lots facing Jasper avenue, with houses, one third cash, balance to suit purchaser. This is a splendid opportunity to buy this block cheap and sell each lot again as a profitable profit.

\$11,000 Lot 125 Block 5, H. B. R., a little bit past the Hudson's Bay store. This lot will sell again in a few months at a handsome return; terms easy; small payments.

\$1000 for all of Block 18, Inglewood, 20 lots (twenty lots) must be sold, owner having other payments to make. This is our snap week. Terms.

\$12,500 will purchase 25 feet on Jasper avenue at Post Office with buildings. Splendid rental. Owner has placed it in our hands for absolute sale. Terms easy.

\$27,000 for 90 feet on the corner of Rice street and First street, behind Empire block. This will be worth \$50,000 before many months. First payment and balance are easy.

\$650 will purchase choice lot on Tenth street south of Jasper.

\$2500 for three lots, corner position, on Kintla street, avenue, suitable for large store and dwelling house. Locality good. Terms easy.

\$2800 will handle three lots and stable on Namoy avenue; terms easy.

\$1800, large house and lot on Namoy avenue, close in, reasonable terms.

\$2800, large house and two lots, corner position, on Namoy avenue; close in. Terms are exceptionally easy.

\$1100 for two lots, corner position on Syndicate avenue, don't miss these. We advise you to go and see them. Lots 7, 8, Block 24, R. L. 14 and Lots 7, 8, Block 25, R. L. 14. Terms easy in both cases.

\$1700 for nice corner lot on Eighth street H. B. R., close in to Jasper. Terms; corner position.

\$2,000 for Lots 42, 43, Block 14, H. B. R. We know you cannot buy anything at this price in this locality. Call and see us re this. Cash.

We have several splendid houses for sale in the east and west end of city, from \$1,000 to \$3000.

\$350 for five acre plots on Ascot park, commanding a grand view of the city, \$200 down and balance \$75 in two six-monthly payments at \$ per cent.

\$1,000 for a choice house and lot (corner) on McDougall avenue; terms.

\$950 high and dry lot on Fourth street across the track. Owner must sell having another payment to meet. We advise you to buy this. You can't buy cheaper.

\$600 for choice lot on Kintla street, close in, \$350 down, balance in nine months.

\$750, nice little house and lot east end, cash. We have the vacant lot next to it for \$625. Easy terms.

\$2400 for a nice cozy house and lot, Seventh street, H. B. R., near Jasper. Easy terms. We won't have this long on our books.

\$7,000, substantial house on two lots on Jasper avenue, easy terms.

MANITOBA MEMBER DIED SUDDENLY

Ruddell, M.P.P. For Morden. Called Without a Moment's Warning

Morden, Man., April 18.—J. H. Ruddell, Conservative M. P. P. for Morden in the Manitoba legislature died on his farm near Morden suddenly Tuesday night. Mr. Ruddell had been working in the fields all day seeding and the task had been an arduous one, as the heat had been extreme, unusually so considering the time of the year. At 9 o'clock he returned to his house and while sitting on the veranda expired in his chair without a moment's warning. His demise was all the more dramatic inasmuch as his constituents were giving him a banquet this evening at which about four hundred prominent residents of his constituency, together with members of the cabinet, were to be present.

THE PORT ARTHUR TRAGEDY.

The Port Arthur Daily News says: What appears to have been an unprovoked, and probably a premeditated murder was committed last night in the bootmaking and repairing shop of S. Debernardi, on the corner of South Water and Wilson streets. The victim of the attack was Samuele Franchella, a young Italian, twenty-two years of age, and his assailant was Mike Tavens, also an Italian. The two men, with Joseph Debernardi and a game of cards in a small room in the rear of the shoemaking shop, while the proprietor was engaged at his work. Two games were played, and, according to the story of those present, no dispute of any kind occurred.

Franchella, the man who was shot, got up from the card table when the game was ended, and started to walk out to the street, through the shop, turning and calling to Tavens to come home.

Without any further words Tavens drew a .38-calibre revolver, which he was known to carry constantly, and deliberately shot Franchella in the abdomen from a distance of about six feet. The latter cried out that he was killed, and Joseph Debernardi, who was standing near him, held him by the arm, at the same time seizing hold of Tavens with one hand.

Tavens shouted to Debernardi with an oath to let him go, at the same time threatening to shoot him. He then broke away and tried to get out by way of the back door, whereupon Tavens attempted to seize him, whereupon Tavens fired a shot at Luca, and the latter struck Tavens in the face, knocking him over the table.

Tavens jumped up and ran out the back door into the yard, followed by Luca. In the yard Luca states that another shot was fired, which he saw Tavens climb over the fence and run up Water street. Since that time nothing has been seen of him although the police have started a systematic search and have taken every means to apprehend him.

Meantime Joseph Debernardi assisted the victim of the shooting up to Cumberland street with the object of finding a doctor, but opposite the store of Mr. A. G. Smith Franchella collapsed and Mr. Debernardi left him and ran to the police station.

When he returned Doctors Brown and Crozier were attending to the wounded man, and he was immediately taken to St. Joseph's Hospital.

All the men who were present, and others who have been in the habit of playing a friendly game of cards in Mr. Debernardi's shop, give Tavens a bad name, while they speak highly of the young man who was shot.

Franchella was a laboring man, and had been employed lately working on the foundation of a house on the corner of Wilson and Cumberland streets. He is reported to have been in no way quarrelsome. His only relative here is a brother, Fortunato Franchella who is also a laborer.

Tavens, his assailant, is a Neapolitan, about 35 years of age, weighs about 150 pounds. He has black hair and a heavy black moustache. His left ear is badly mutilated from the effects of being run over by a street car when he was a boy.

It is said that the men had had a wordy quarrel last fall, but they were apparently not unfriendly since that time. The two men and others had been playing cards in the shop in the afternoon but no quarrel had occurred, although Tavens acted as though he had some grudge against Franchella.

PIPESTONE PEOPLE ALARMED

Pipestone, Apr. 18.—Residents of this town are somewhat excited over what is believed to have been a deliberate attempt to burn down the main business section one night last week. Cloth saturated in oil was placed in the hallway of the largest business block here and ignited. A number of residents happened to be passing and discovered the fire in time to save the building.

Fire destroyed the stables of Robt.

Gray today, burning six horses and eleven cattle together with implements, harness and hay. The cause of the fire which started in the loft is unknown. The loss is about \$4,000.

A CHALLENGE.
Calgary Herald: The criticisms of the alleged brutality at Gleichen over the imitation buffalo hunt held by the Blackfoot for the entertainment of Prince Arthur are resented by the Indians and those responsible for the spectacle. They claim that an expert Blackfoot hunter with his deadly bow and arrow can reach a steer's vital part quite as effectively as can be done with a rifle.

In this connection the following challenge has been issued by the well-known Indian hunter Dying Young Man:
The Newspaper—Herald, Calgary.
I dare the man with the big lie mouth, who riles I murdered after at Blackfoot when the Prince here, that I will shoot quicker with bow arrow than he will steer with any ball gun.
DYING YOUNG MAN, Blackfoot.

CALGARY'S ASSESSMENT
(Alberta)
The assessment department of the city, after a vigorous month, have completed under the superintendence of Assessor Burns the details of the assessment of the city.
The assessment is as follows—
Ward 1.....\$ 2,266,010
Ward 2.....\$ 2,339,701
Ward 3.....\$ 957,367
Ward 4.....\$ 1,588,788
Total.....\$7,811,456

This gives the city for current expenditure a revenue from taxation of \$78,174. Deducting from this 10 per cent. for prompt payment, there remains \$70,357. From other sources the city will receive about \$12,000, a total of over \$82,000.

As the current expenditure last year was nearly \$92,000, and promises to be larger this year, there is likely to be a deficit of \$10,000 or more. The increase in assessment during the last few years is shown in the following table:

1896.....	\$ 1,994,300
1897.....	1,937,760
1898.....	2,018,140
1899.....	2,165,520
1900.....	2,307,940
1901.....	2,383,325
1902.....	2,221,549
1903.....	2,499,457
1904.....	5,435,463
1905.....	7,811,456

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Servant girl. Apply to Mrs. J. H. McKinley, Fraser, ave. Phone 91.
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WANTED.
Two girls to work in boarding house. Apply Mrs. McCartney, Fraser ave. Dy 79-81 chg.

WANTED.
School teacher wanted for rural school. Female preferred. Candy & Co., employment Agt., Jasper avenue. Dy 41 chg.

WANTED.
Lady cook for hotel, duties to commence May 1st. Apply M. M. Brunelle, Namoy avenue.
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Young married man (no children) used to farm work. Good wages for satisfactory couple. Apply St. Geo. Jelliff, city.
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Dy 86-92 chg

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Tenders, accompanied by a marked cheque in a chartered Canadian Bank for \$5000.00, made payable to the Imperial Bank, will be received by the architects up to noon of May 5th, 1906.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Ottawa, March 15th, 1906.
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**GORKY IS A
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St. Petersburg, April 18.—Maxim Gorky's reputation in the United States is giving the Russian Government considerable concern. High officials here to-day made the following statement: "In listening to Gorky the Americans should understand that he is not a liberal or a reformer, but a revolutionist pure and simple. He is certainly a writer of talent, perhaps of genius, and much that he says regarding conditions in Russia is doubtless true, but it should be made clear that his object is not reform but revolution. M. Me Andreev, who accompanied him, is not his wife. She also is a revolutionist, and M. Morozoff, one of Moscow's merchant princes, gave her \$150,000 for the revolutionary cause. When the government last summer secured proof of this fact he was given twenty-four hours to leave Russia or stand trial. He fled to Paris, where he committed suicide."

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Winnipeg, April 18.—No. 1 Northern 78-1-4, No. 2 77-1-4, No. 3 76-1-2; No. 2 white oats 34-1-4, No. 3 barley 40-1-2, No. 1 flax 1-1-2.

THE CHILLED MEAT TRADE WITH GREAT BRITAIN

A report has been published by the Federal Department of Agriculture from the Canadian Commercial agent at Leeds, Eng., in which he says:

"The growth of this industry has been wonderful, and is only now in its infancy. The latest statistics issued concerning the growth of the importation of chilled and frozen meats is a revelation to every student of food supplies in this country. Last year there were 438,780 tons of beef, mutton and lamb imported into the United Kingdom, being an increase of about 75,000 tons as compared with 1904. There were big increases in Argentine frozen beef, in Australian and Argentine mutton, and in Australian lamb. The Argentine meat companies, which are financed almost entirely with British capital, succeeded in wresting a considerable portion of the chilled beef trade from the United States. Whilst 3,372 tons less of North American chilled beef arrived in this country last year than in 1904, there was an increase of 25,328 tons of imported chilled beef from the Argentine Republic. It is doubtful whether there will be any prospective increase in the consumption, either in South America or in any European or other foreign country, which will be of sufficient value to affect the course of values in the United Kingdom."

"Great Britain still absorbs 85 per cent of the world's total output in chilled and frozen meat. The shipments of chilled or frozen meat to Germany will now be impossible, as apparently the government is dominated by the agrarian party, who far from listening to the popular clamor for meat, have framed new laws, which came into force on March 1, raising the import duties by nearly fifty per cent. Hitherto the rate on imported chilled or frozen meat was 10s. per cwt., not 17s. 6d. on meat from the most favored nations (including Great Britain and her colonies, except Canada and New Zealand) and the tariff, as against the United States, Canada and New Zealand, is 25s. per cwt., on meat imported from these countries."

"The effect of the increase in this industry has been to lower the price of beef and mutton very considerably in the big industrial centres, and in England it is no longer unusual to buy chilled beef and mutton in Leeds at from 41-2d. to 5d. per lb. No one can seriously argue for a moment that the chilled and frozen meat is at all equal to good old English beef, and fresh and tasty home-fod mutton; but a large section of the public cannot afford to pay the price for English beef, and with them it is a question of having imported beef or none at all. The fall in price caused by the importation of chilled or frozen meat will no doubt have good effect on the vast armies of operatives in the big industrial centres here, as a larger consumption of meat per head would very much improve the strength and stamina of this class."

"It seems that if Canada is going to benefit by this trade, that she must at once seriously enter into the competition, otherwise in a few years the trade will be entirely monopolized by the British companies trading with the Argentine. Especially in this phase of the case worth serious consideration at the present, in view of the strenuous opposition to the removal of the embargo on Canadian cattle, and from present appearances it would appear that the Act in the future will remain as it is at present. The classes are more powerful in the United Kingdom than the masses."

"I am indebted to a leading Sheffield produce house for the following item of information, which is of the highest importance, particularly in Sheffield and Rotherham, the population have a great fancy for pea-fed bacon and hams, for which we have the largest demand. Pea-fed bacon has a much sweeter flavor than the ordinary, and although the prices are higher, the appreciation it has in here, more than compensates for any difference in price. We have cultivated a taste for this kind of goods for many years, and we must have pea-fed bacon for our customers, and some American packers have catered especially for this trade in South Yorkshire. Tell the Canadian packers to give us good first-class pea-fed bacon well cured, and American bacon will only be heard of as second-class in Sheffield."

CRUELITIES IN BELGIAN CONGO.

Speaking at a meeting of the Regions beyond missionary society in Exeter hall, London, the Rev. J. H. Harris told from his experience of the cruelties practiced on the Belgian Congo on the natives engaged in the col-

lection of rubber. It was strange, he said, that in the twentieth century, they should have to fight over again the old battle of slavery. The conditions of the natives on the Belgian Congo were indeed worse than slavery. It was the system introduced by King Leopold that was responsible for the atrocities that were taking place, and until that system was swept away root and branch these atrocities would continue. There was now no question of the atrocities. King Leopold's commission confirmed all that the missionaries had reported. Detailing one case out of a thousand cases of cruelty that he had on record Mr. Harris told how on account of a shortage in the delivery of rubber from a certain village a party of soldiers were sent to raid it. As the file marched up the forest path leading to the village they were met by the inhabitants, who fled. All succeeded in escaping into the forest with the exception of one poor fellow. He was taken captive and was sent around the village to find food for his captors, the black soldiery. On his returning empty-handed they seized him and tied him to a tree, and then secured the village for plunder. In the course of their search they entered a hut where a poor woman lay with her newly born child, being too weak to flee with the rest. The soldiers seized the infant by the feet and dashed his brains out against the wall, and shot the agonized mother where she lay. Having done this they returned and shot their captive, a man named Kaka, and ate him. When the soldiers had retired and the villagers came back they found only the skull and a few of the largest bones of the man lying by the tree to which he had been bound. This is not an isolated case. Things like that were happening everywhere up and down the Congo. The chief rubber collector had admitted these atrocities were practiced, and excused himself by saying that he must fulfill his duties from Europe. The hands of King Leopold were red with the blood of hundreds of thousands of men, women and children. These things must cease. (Loud applause.) The British Government would take action if only the people bestirred themselves and demanded that something should be done. He had just announced by interested parties that the United States Government did not see its way clear to take any action in the matter. He had just returned from America where he had spoken with President Roosevelt, Mr. Root and others, and he could say that the U. S. Government was prepared to take some action, though they had not yet decided what should be done.

RAILWAY MOVEMENT

Vancouver Province.—That the Canadian Northern Railway will not build west of Edmonton and that this railway will find its Pacific coast outlet in Vancouver by means of Hill extension through British Columbia and across the Rockies into Edmonton is indicated by recent events in railway circles on this coast.

Many things now point to the ultimate connection of the V. W. & Y. Railway at Fort George by an extension across the mountains to Edmonton. The V. W. & Y. Company is quietly making preparations to build north from this city toward Fort George. A connection with Edmonton would place the Canadian Northern in a position to reach Vancouver and Seattle over the Hill system without the necessity of building the line through to the coast.

It is a well known fact that the Canadian Northern and the Hill Western are co-operating in all Western Canadian extensions, and that both are aligned against the Canadian Pacific Railway, whose interests clash with those of both railways.

Mr. Hill is at present laying out a line from Havre, Mont., on the Great Northern main line through to Edmonton via Medicine Hat. This line will be four hundred and forty miles in length, and one branch of it will tap Calgary. This line will be better suited by an east and west road that will make connections with the Great Northern line into Fernie. This line will secure Winnipeg connection through Regina to the east.

The aggression of the Great Northern in Western Canada is prompting the C. P. R. to activity in the Hill territory to the south of the line, and the Canadian Soo Montana extension will pass about forty miles north of Culbertson, almost paralleling the Great Northern through Valley and Choteau Counties, and will pass through the Sweet Grass hills. It will eventually be continued to Browning in the Buckhorn country and will tap the oil and coal sections of Southwestern Alberta.

Plans are that the Soo western extension shall pass through the State of Washington, where it will likely link up with the C.P.R. line from Yak, on the Crow's Nest line to Spokane, and a branch will pass through Washington about its northern boundary to the coast and into the heart of the Great Northern territory.

THE CZAR IS NERVOUS

A St. Petersburg despatch says: The question whether the emperor will come to St. Petersburg to open parliament has, according to the Novos Vremya, been decided in the negative. The representatives will be summoned either to Tsarskoe Selo or to the Peterhof palace. There they will listen to a speech by the throne, after which they will return to St. Petersburg and elect a president of the lower House. This decision was arrived at not only to protect the dignity of the sovereign, but also, in fact, because no place has been provided for the emperor in the Tsarskoe Selo, where the lower House will meet.

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THE ODD NUMBERED SECTIONS

The Toronto News is alarmed that the settlement of the west is reducing the number of unoccupied homesteads, wants to know if the country realizes "that the supply of free farms in the 'fertile belt' of the Northwest is nearly exhausted," and avers that in "1903 or 1910 the man who enters the West 'with only a moderate capital must, (1) 'go upon semi-arid land, or plunge into 'the scrub of the northern country, or, (2) wait until he can pay for a farm 'in the fertile regions.'"

Proceeding the News enquires "What will happen to the price of land when the homesteads give out?" It contends that "if all the land for sale is in the 'hands of private corporations, there is 'at least a risk of the prices going sud- 'denly to extortionate figures," says "Once that evil is reached there is the 'ensuing danger that immigration will 'be abruptly checked," and "Once that 'happens we may see the whole fabric 'of western land values come tumbling 'to the ground."

But as a salvation from this impending doom, we are told that the Govern- 'ment has ten or eleven million acres of 'odd-numbered sections reserved until 'such time as the corporations which 'arose under the former regime have se- 'lected their lands. The News concludes 'that "The obvious guard against this 'danger is for the Government to come 'into the field with its ten or eleven 'million acres and steady the situation 'by competition," and avers that "The 'sooner the Government is in the field 'as a seller of land the better."

The alarm of the News appears some- 'what premature on the heels of the 'admission that the desirable homesteads 'are not likely to be exhausted until '1908 or 1910. The unintended com- 'pensation to that being raised when the at- 'tention of multitudes has been already 'drawn to the Canadian West the alarm 'is likely to hasten rather than discour- 'age their coming and thus help in a 'measure to fulfill the conditions which 'the News regards as calamitous. Ad- 'mitting however that a time must 'and will come, be it in 1910 or 1920, 'when good free farms are unobtainable 'in the West, is this a condition to be 'dreaded? Such time can only come 'when each such farm is occupied by 'a settler whose energies are devoted to 'its development and in consequence to 'the expansion of the commercial life 'of the nation. Is this cause for appen- 'sion? That Canada will not al- 'ways be able to provide free homes for 'good settlers may be a matter of regret, 'but surely it is not to be lamented 'that the day is approaching when the 'homesteads which she is able to offer 'will be occupied by such settlers and 'her national life enriched by their ex- 'ertions. Western people at any rate 'have entertained a notion that such is 'the condition of affairs which ought to 'exist; that it was for the purpose of ac- 'complishing this that our immigration 'department has been maintained and 'that such has been the ideal of our im- 'migration policy since the revulsion of '1906.

That the occupation of the homesteads 'will result in a rise in the land values 'is probably true, but it is not neces- 'sarily true that such advance will ap- 'proach anything resembling "extor- 'tionate figures." It is quite true that 'the value of western lands has advanced 'in proportion to the increase in immigra- 'tion to Canada but it is also true that 'the cause of the immigration movement to 'Canada has been the free homesteads 'in the Canadian West. It is reason- 'able therefore to suppose that when 'such homesteads are known to be no 'longer available the immigration move- 'ment will correspondingly slacken and 'will change in character from the im- 'migration of those who can and will 'become settlers only on condition that 'they secure free homesteads to the im- 'migration of those who come prepared 'and willing to purchase land. The in- 'ducement to the immigrant will be no 'longer the difference between the price 'of land in his own country and free 'land in Canada and will become the dif- 'ference between what he must pay for 'land in his own country and the price 'at which land may be obtained in Can- 'ada. And upon the measure of this dif- 'ference will depend the ability to se-

cure immigrants and hence the ability 'of the holding companies to sell west- 'ern Canadian lands. If that difference 'be small the immigration will be small 'and the land sales correspondingly 'small; if the difference be great the 'immigration will be correspondingly 'large and the sales correspondingly 'brisk. The interest of the land com- 'panies will lie therefore not in rais- 'ing the price to a figure which will 'repel immigrants and prevent sales 'but in maintaining prices which will 'induce immigration and secure sales.

The conclusion of the News is rather 'worse than its argument, which is suf- 'ficiently bad. That conclusion is that 'the odd numbered sections should be re- 'lieved from reservation and should be 'placed on the market not as homestead 'lands but as lands for sale, and accord- 'ing to the News "the sooner the bet- 'ter." Suppose such were done forth- 'with what would be the consequences? 'The Government would be trying to 'give away land with one hand, and to 'sell land with the other. And suppos- 'ing contrary to the laws of reason and 'history they succeeded in accomplishing 'both purposes of this double barreled 'policy, what then? The free home- 'stead land would be in the hands of the 'settler, the land which had been sold 'would be in the hands of the specula- 'tor, the country would be in exactly 'the condition which has excited the ap- 'prehensions of the News and the gov- 'ernment would have no reserve with 'which to steady the situation by its 'competition." If therefore the former 'argument of the News has value the 'West would suffer all the consequences 'of a "land boom" and "the whole struc- 'ture of western land values" might 'well "come tumbling to the ground." 'And the government having parted with 'the only means whereby it could pre- 'vent undue elevation in land values 'would be powerless to prevent the 'boom or to avert the consequences. 'While the Government holds in reserve 'the odd-numbered sections which may 'at any time be thrown open to home- 'stead entry it holds in restraint the 'greed of the land speculator; once it 'parted with these prematurely the re- 'straint would be gone and according to 'the News the consequences of this 'would be calamitous.

CANADIAN VITALITY

(Winnipeg Free Press)

The fourth volume of the census of 'Canada, 1901, recently issued from the 'press, contains some bright examples 'of what might be left unprinted in 'official statistics. Nearly two hun- 'dred pages are devoted to giving us 'the mortality by Provinces. The Ber- 'tillon nomenclature of diseases is fol- 'lowed so that we have what is sup- 'posed to be a detailed statement of 'the various causes of death, number- 'ing not less than 145 in all. In this 'large number of lists there are many 'which resemble each other so closely 'that we do not see how the census 'can lay claim to have secured a pre- 'cise diagnosis of the causes of each 'death. Even if the figures are reli- 'able a precise analysis of them bring- 'ing out what they are intended to 'prove as to climatic influences, etc., 'would have been the most acceptable. 'Again we fail to see that any moral 'or other connection can be found be- 'tween the number of deaths and the 'birthplace, religion and origin of the 'deceased.

These tables on mortality are so dif- 'fuse that few will have the courage 'to analyze them so as to show 'the comparative healthfulness of 'the various parts of the coun- 'try. The ratio of deaths to the 'living is but an uncertain guide, de- 'pending greatly on birth rate, compo- 'sition of the population and occupa- 'tion of the people. Still it is satisfac- 'tory to note that, judged by this test, 'the climate of the prairies is a very 'healthy one. The death rate in the 'various Provinces and Territories is 'given as follows:

Province or Territory	Per 1,000
Manitoba	12.21
Alberta	11.13
Assiniboia East	12.17
Assiniboia West	11.70
Saskatchewan	13.47
British Columbia	9.78
New Brunswick	11.54
Nova Scotia	11.61
Ontario	15.24
Prince Edward Island	11.59

The lowest rate is shown by the 'district of Yale-Cariboo, B. C., 'where there was little infantile mor- 'tality. In Manitoba the lowest rate 'is shown by Brandon district, 8.73, and 'the highest rate by Provencer, 20.63. 'There are, however, counties in Que- 'bec where the mortality exceeds 27 'per 1,000.

In view of all that has been said 'about race suicide in recent years, the 'statistics of births offer special inter- 'est. The number of births per 1,000 'inhabitants during the year 1901, was 'as follows in the various provinces:

Province or Territory	Per 1,000
British Columbia	15.36
Manitoba	15.36
New Brunswick	25.38
Nova Scotia	23.29
Ontario	23.91
Prince Edward Island	21.67
Quebec	26.29
Alberta	31.12
Assiniboia East	32.66
Assiniboia West	33.86
Saskatchewan	32.71

In Canada as a whole there were '27.83 births per thousand inhabitants, 'leaving a natural increase, after de- 'duction of deaths, of 12.70, so that the 'race suicide danger is still distant. 'The high birth rate in the West is to 'be noted. In Provencer it reaches '42.59 per 1,000, but this is excelled in 'Quebec by the counties of Champlain,

44.08; Montmagny 43.43 and Beauce 'with the phenomenal birth rate of '47.92, and a net natural increase of '29.37. Taken as a whole, however, 'the West excels Quebec in natural in- 'crease. It is only in a few counties 'of British Columbia, where social con- 'ditions are abnormal, and of Ontario 'that the deaths slightly exceed the 'number of births. This condition is 'most pronounced in West Toronto, 'where the population actually de- 'creased 3.83 per thousand during the cen- 'sus year.

With these few exceptions, the vital 'statistics show that the people of 'Canada are living under sound and 'healthy conditions and that their in- 'crease is far from being dependent on 'foreign immigration.

KEEPING THE PROMISES
(The Frank Paper)

The close of last week saw the road 'through the slide completed and open 'for traffic. Almost immediately it 'became a busy thoroughfare for 'many teams passed over it before Sat- 'urday night. It is not a smooth road 'by any means yet it is passable and 'its shod horses offers no difficulties and 'those who have tried it feel a keen ap- 'preciation of the difference be- 'tween being able to reach the prairie 'road below the slide in twenty minutes 'and the hour or more that going ar- 'ound over the mountain involved. Already 'the tremendous importance of the road 'to Frank has been demonstrated. In 'view of the fact of the road being 'completed and of the vast benefit it is 'going to be to the people of Frank 'and those who live on the other side 'of the slide, as already shown, it may 'not be inopportune to remind all who 'are interested that it was the Govern- 'ment at Edmonton that gave them 'this road and that the Government at 'Edmonton represents the Liberal 'party. We remember the time when 'there was an election on last fall and 'that during the campaign it was not 'uncommon to hear persons who op- 'posed the candidate of the Liberal party, 'declare that if the Liberals were suc- 'cessful we would not get the road not- 'withstanding that at least a tacit prom- 'ise had been given that it would be 'built. This paper gave expression to 'its belief that the only hope of a road 'lay in the election of the Liberal Gov- 'ernment and that if the Government 'was returned we would get the road. 'It feels much gratified that its assur- 'ances have been so promptly and sat- 'isfactorily fulfilled and hopes the 'people of The Pass will not forget to 'thank them who owe this great blessing.

WHY HE RESIGNED

A curious story of the resignation 'of Trepoff is told in the Tatler. It is 'that Trepoff went to the theatre one 'night when a cinematograph supplied 'part of the entertainment. Revolution- 'ists had tampered with the film, how- 'ever, and the instrument ground out 'moving pictures which led up dramati- 'cally to the murder of the redoubtable 'general himself after the manner of 'the late M. de Plehve. The whole thing 'was so realistically done that Trepoff 'was terrified and at once resigned.

WILL HONOR THE KING.

Philadelphia, April 18.—King Edward 'will receive the degree of Doctor of 'Laws from the University of Pennsylv- 'ania at the university observance of 'the centenary of the birth of Benjamin 'Franklin.

MONTEAGLE MAKES LONG TRIP.
Hong Kong, April 18.—The C. P. R. 'Steamer Montague arrived here on her 'around the world trip. She left St. 'John, N. B., January 20th and called 'at Cardiff and Durban. The total dis- 'tance travelled was 18,500 miles and 'was accomplished without accident. 'The passengers, amongst whom are 'Master Shaughnessy, son of Sir 'Thomas, president of the Canadian Pa- 'cific, and his tutor, are well.

KING PLEADS FOR QUIET.
Crows, Isle of Wight, April 18.—King 'Alfonso of Spain arrived here to-day 'and was met some miles outside by the 'Princess Ena of Battenburg and her 'mother, who boarded the Spanish royal 'yacht Gladia. The King and Princess 'subsequently landed and drove to Os- 'borne. The young people were warmly 'greeted by the crowds. King Alfonso 'personally appealed to the newspaper 'men to permit him to enjoy quietly 'his visit to the bride-elect.

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TENDERS FOR THE NEW ROAD

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An Ottawa despatch says: The different tenders for construction of the Winnipeg-Quebec section of the Transcontinental were as follows—J. D. McArthur, \$13,010,000; Pacific Construction Co., \$13,028,000; Grand Trunk Pacific, \$13,991,000; McArthur Construction Co., \$17,048,000. For the Quebec section, Hogan and McDonald, \$5,297,000; O'Brien and Mulroney, \$5,500,000; Grand Trunk Pacific, \$6,450,000; M. P. Davis, and J. T. Davis, \$6,647,000; McConnolly, Jardine and Wilson, \$7,081,000; McArthur Construction Co., \$7,940,000. The tenders for the viaduct are, Dominion Bridge Co. (A) \$329,000; Dominion Bridge Co. (B) \$318,000; Locomotive Machine Co., \$333,000; Canadian Bridge Co., \$343,000; Grand Trunk Pacific, \$347,000; Phoenix Bridge Co., \$348,000.

The successful tenderer on the Quebec section, Hogan and McDonald, was about \$800,000 lower than the commission engineer's estimates and McArthur the successful tenderer on the Winnipeg section was about ten per cent lower. It is reported that the Pacific Construction Co., of which the Fagire Bros., and J. C. Chamberlain of Ottawa, are members, is to join with J. D. McArthur in building the western section. If this is correct the commission will have no objection. The commission has arranged to hold ten per cent on the progress estimates to secure the construction of the western section in case of failure of the contractors.

The \$400,000 now on deposit will be part of the ten per cent. This means that the government will have about 20 per cent of the contract price in its own hands. On the eastern section the government will have 15 per cent on the deposit and will hold back ten per cent of the progress estimates, making 25 per cent in all in case of failure on the part of the contractors. Tenders for rails and ties will be asked for at once by the commission.

It is estimated that J. D. McArthur, of Winnipeg will this season have ten thousand men at work on this railway for which he has received the contract, he has contracted for grading 370 miles of road in Manitoba, and Saskatchewan and Alberta for the Canadian Pacific railway company. These last mentioned works include the completion of the Winnipeg-Beaton branch, 50 miles, reduction of grades on the main line between Swift Current and Medicine Hat, 75 miles; line from Saskatoon west to Battle River, 175 miles; extension of the Manitoba Northwestern branch westward from Shebo, forty miles; extension of the Teulon branch, 40 miles, and the extension of the Winnipeg Beach branch to Gimli, ten miles. Outfits are now being sent out to begin operations on all these lines, and work will be in full blast within the next fortnight. The right of way for the Teulon and Winnipeg beach extension has already been cut out so that the graders will not be delayed with their work. A good deal of this work has been subcontracted to local contractors.

Mr. McArthur will begin at once organizing his forces for the Grand Trunk Pacific work between Winnipeg and Superior Junction and by the first of May he hopes to have several sections of the road under construction. Work will be commenced at points along the route where outfalls and supplies can be got in from the C.P.R. by water. The furthest point that the G. T. P. line runs from the C. P. R. is twenty-five miles, and at convenient distances, there are waterways that can be utilized for taking in supplies without excessive labor or cost. The first section will begin about five miles east of Winnipeg, the second at Nelson, where the C.P.R. is crossed, the third at a point on the Winnipeg river north of Kenora, the fourth north of Dinosaur, and at other places lakes are available for transportation. Between seven and eight thousand men will be employed on this work, which has to be completed by the 1st of October, 1907. Mr. McArthur does not anticipate any difficulty in securing sufficient men. He feels assured the tremendous immigration to Canada will solve the labor problem.

With the exception of the Manitoba end of the line nearly all the work embraced by the contract is rock, but it is not as heavy as that encountered on the C. P. R. between Winnipeg and Lake Superior on the C. P. R. The work will be sublet in large sections to responsible contractors.

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SPORTS

What has happened to the committee of sportsmen that were appointed some time ago to look into the matter of forming an Athletic association? Are they only sleeping, or have they allowed the enthusiasm to die out? It is about time that something was being done in this matter. If summer sports are to be conducted on a proper basis this summer or any other summer, there should be an association of some kind formed. And now is the time to get down to business. If all the games, baseball, lacrosse, football or cricket are going to be played in a desultory fashion, the public will soon lose interest, and sports in Edmonton will drop dead. What is needed is an athletic association that will support all forms of summer sport, and conduct things in a systematic way. No doubt the committee have been doing something along the line of canvassing the town, and it would be well to hold another meeting in the near future and have an association organized.

BASEBALL.

The City Intermediate team are meeting at the Pendennis to-night to organize for the season and are looking for a good attendance of young fellows who are interested. A good many of last year's team will again be in the field and there will be a few new hands. The team worked up a great reputation last year and hope to become famous again this summer. Certainly there is material for a fast nine, and the boys will get right down to business after organization to-night. The baseball grounds will be again in shape in a day or two for practice. They have been levelled and put in first class condition. A fence has also been built around the entire length of the grounds. People who want to see the game this summer will be given the privilege of paying their two bits and going through a gate to the grand stand.

MAY LOSE THE SUBSIDY.

The Canadian Pacific management is now adopting urgent measures to induce the British government to reconsider its decision to discontinue the payment of the Imperial subsidy which was granted to the three Empress steamers, the Empress of Japan, Empress of China and Empress of India, says a western journal.

This subsidy, which amounted to \$250,000 a year, was given on condition that the steamers which sail between Vancouver, Hong Kong and Yokohama should be available for the Imperial service as auxiliary naval cruisers. Under the new naval policy the admiralty has no use for this kind of auxiliaries to the fleet; but the C. P. R. contention is that the company renders service in the transportation of the British mails to the Far East equivalent to the value of the subsidy. The Imperial post office authorities have refused to be convinced as to the exceptional value of this route to the Far East and are insisting on greater speed in the carrying of the mails before renewing the contract, which expired recently.

The company is exerting all the influence it can command to induce the authorities to reconsider the question. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy is now in England bringing all the influence he can to bear upon them to this end, and Mr. Arthur Piers, the manager of the company's steamship service, is there to second his efforts as well as be present at the trial trip of the new steamers Empress of Britain and Empress of Ireland over the measured mile on the Clyde. Sir William Van Horne is now on his way back from London, where it is understood he was moving in the same direction.

FOSTER'S FORECAST

Washington, D.C., April 14.—Last bulletin gave forecast of disturbance to cross continent April 12 to 14, warm wave 9 to 13, cool wave 12 to 16. Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about April 14, cross west of Rockies country by close of 15, great central valleys 16 to 18, eastern states 19. Warm wave will cross west of Rockies country about April 14, great central valleys 16, eastern states 18. Cool wave will cross west of Rockies country about April 17, great central valleys 19, eastern states 21.

This disturbance will be somewhat severe on the Pacific coast, will grow less intense in the great central valleys and as it approaches the eastern states about April 18 will again increase in force, causing severe weather about April 20 on Atlantic coast and out on the ocean. Rains will increase over those of the preceding week.

Fifth disturbance of April will reach Pacific coast about April 20, cross west of Rockies country by close of 21, great central valleys 22, eastern states 24. Warm wave will cross west of Rockies country about April 20, great central valleys 22, eastern states 24. Cool wave will cross west of Rockies country about April 22, great central valleys 25, eastern states 27.

This disturbance will cause severe weather throughout its eastward course across the continent and dangerous storms may be expected. Rains will not be general, but heavy in some localities. Temperatures of cool wave following this storm wave will go to low degrees, carrying frosts farther south than usual. The month will close with rising temperatures, but the coldest part of the month will pass meridian 30, eastward bound, not far from April 17.

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LOCAL

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—The Braemar Circle held their regular dance on Friday evening in Houston's Hall.

—There will be a meeting of the executive of the Young Liberals in the club rooms this evening.

—Chas. W. Campbell will open his new grocery and confectionery store in the old Douglas building in a few days.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. F. Battick, takes place from her late residence on Fraser avenue this afternoon.

J. York, of Black River Falls, Wisconsin, is the guest of his brother, A. York, Fifth street, for a week or so.

—The city council, which did not meet last night, will meet this evening. There are several important matters for discussion.

—The lacrosse team were out for a practice last night, and put in a good hard hour or two with the sticks. There was a good turnout of members.

—The city council met last evening and adjourned to allow the aldermen to attend the Bal Foudre in the Thistle rink.

—At the Pendennis hotel to-night the organization meeting of the Edmonton Intermediate baseball club will be held. All wishing to join the club are invited to be on hand at eight.

—The Braemar Circle are holding their grand Scotch concert in the Thistle rink this evening, in which the best local talent of the city will appear. Tickets \$1.00, 75c and 50c.

—The Legislature adjourned at last sittings to meet this afternoon, and the members will probably resume sittings after their return from Red Deer at four o'clock.

—Miss Matchau, a student at Alberta College, received word yesterday of the death of her brother by an accident in a British Columbia lumber camp. She left for her home in Ponoka on the afternoon train.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. F. W. Battick, who died on Monday, took place this afternoon at three o'clock from the residence, corner Fraser ave. and Clara street, to the Edmonton cemetery. It was largely attended.

—The postponed banquet of the Edmonton Liberal Association to the members of the Legislature will be held to-morrow evening at the Queen's Hotel. Tickets may be had from J. A. McKinnon or from P. E. Lessard.

—The new plate glass fronts for the Northern Bank, corner Jasper and Queens have now been installed and the bank premises present a very handsome appearance. Offices have been opened up over the bank, and a suite has already been taken by Dr. Connell.

—F. G. Haldane & Co., real estate agents, have placed upon the market a new suburban property, Northcote. It adjoins the Hudson Bay reserve on the north of the city, and is all high land. The property has been on the market two weeks, and 60 lots out of the 300 have been sold.

—Wilkie C. Dodds, who has been in temporary charge of the ticket and passenger department of the C. N. R. here for the past two months, leaves to-night for Winnipeg, where he will resume his duties as assistant city ticket agent of the C. N. R. His place here has been taken by Wm. E. Dunn, of Winnipeg, who has been appointed city ticket agent for Edmonton.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

R. G. Scott, of Manville is registered at the Windsor.

P. Limoges, of High River, is in the city on a visit.

Miss Creelman, of Montreal, is visiting Mrs. E. C. Pardee.

A. G. McFarlane, of Field B.C., is registered at the Alberta.

Mrs. Thomas Bellamy, Second street, will not receive again until July.

Chas. Auburn, and A. Lowden, of Dayland, are registered at the Imperial.

J. Ammondson came up from Clareholm yesterday and registered at the Windsor.

Geo. Peet, from the Pembina River, came in yesterday and is a guest at the Queens.

R. M. Jones came into the city from Lac St. Anne yesterday and is registered at the Alberta.

Miss Harvey, of Orillia, arrived in the city yesterday and will be the guest of Mrs. Ewing for some time.

A. Christenson, C. S. Knopp and E. E. Wilson, came up from Innisfail yesterday and are staying at the Pendennis.

The Little Misses Harbottle entertained their friends at afternoon tea yesterday afternoon at their home on Seventh street.

S. B. Woods, deputy attorney-general, went to Red Deer yesterday afternoon to attend the banquet to the members of the legislature.

ALBERTA MILLING CO.'S EXTENSION

The Alberta Milling Co. took out a permit yesterday for a building which will double the size of their flour warehouse on Third street, between Vermilion and Jasper. Their present storehouse is 25 by 60, and the addition which they propose building is the same size.

LIBERAL BANQUET THURSDAY

The banquet to be given by the Edmonton Liberal Association to the members of the Provincial Legislature, which was postponed from last month, will be held on Thursday evening of

this week at the Queen's Hotel. The tickets are \$3.50, and can be procured from J. A. McKinnon and from P. E. Lessard. An excellent toast list has been prepared, and there will be vocal selections by Messrs. Howard Stutchbury, Geo. McLeod, Leo Savard and the Young Liberal Club quartette. The menu provided will be of the best. It is expected that Hon. Senator Talbot and other outside speakers will be present. The chairman of the evening will be R. J. Manson, president of the Liberal Association, and the vice-chairman will be Geo. McLeod, president of the Young Men's Liberal Club. Following is the toast list in full:

"The King"—God Save the King.

"Our Country"—The Maple Leaf—H. W. McKenny, M.L.A., J. P. Marcellus, M.L.A.

"Dominion Parliament"—Senator P. Talbot.

Quartette—The Young Men's Liberal Club quartette.

"The Provincial Legislature"—Premier A. C. Rutherford, Hon. C. W. Cross, Speaker C. W. Fisher.

Solo—Howard Stutchbury.

"Our Guests"—Hon. W. H. Cushing, Hon. W. T. Finlay, J. W. Woolf, C. A. Stuart, M. McKenzie.

Solo—Leo Savard.

"Our City"—Mayor Chas. May.

Quartette—The Young Men's Liberal Club quartette.

"The Liberal Party"—Dr. Clark, Mr. J. T. Moore, Mr. Duncan Marshall.

Solo—Mr. Geo. H. McLeod.

"The Press"—Mr. Watt, Mr. McPherson.

"The Ladies"—Mr. C. Ross Palmer, Mr. O. M. Biggar.

God Save the King.

TWO WEDDINGS

A very pretty wedding took place this morning in St. Joachim's church at six thirty, when Miss Mary Dussault, daughter of A. Dussault, was united in marriage to Mr. L. E. Coffey, of the Edmonton Real Estate Co. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Jan, of the parish of St. Antony, Strathcona. Mr. James Cagham supported the groom, and Miss Victoria Dussault, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. There were a good many guests present at the wedding. The couple left on the 8.30 train this morning for a honeymoon trip to the coast, and on their return will reside in Edmonton.

The bride was the recipient of handsome wedding presents, which were evidence of the popularity of the young couple. Mr. Coffey has been a partner of Arch. York in the real estate business for over a year, since the establishment of the Edmonton Real Estate Co. in their handsome offices in the Helmick block on Jasper avenue. Another wedding was also celebrated this morning at eight o'clock by Rev. Father Jan, the contracting parties being Mr. Thos. O'Reilly, of the department stores of Gariepy & Lessard, and Miss Eva Denencourt, daughter of Mr. Denencourt, proprietor of the Temperance Hotel, Jasper avenue. The couple leave this evening on the C.N.R. for Vermillion, and will reside in Edmonton on their return.

RED DEER BANQUET

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Mr. Hebert of Dayland said that he had decided to support Banif for the capital but if he could not get it for Banif he might try to get it for Red Deer. He qualified Calgary and Edmonton as being out of the question.

Mr. McLeod of Ponoka said he recognized the natural duties of Red Deer and believed that if they did not land the capital Red Deer was entitled to something else.

Mr. Mackenzie of McLeod said his constituency advanced no claims to the capital and hoped only that when the question was settled they would still be good friends.

Mr. Puffer, of Lacombe, as a near neighbor gave Red Deer some pretty compliments, closing with the statement that he had a very friendly feeling towards them and that other towns would have to look to their laurels.

Mr. McCauley of Vermillion, in opening said that he refused to tie himself up, but in closing said that he thought Edmonton was the right place.

Mr. W. H. McKenny, of St. Albert, who in a way is the daddy of them all in the legislature, having spent more years in the west than any other member, made a very telling speech. He opened in a retrospective view telling of the pioneer days of forty years ago and of how in his time the wheat line had travelled 1,500 miles to the north and west until it now embraced the whole of Alberta which was then an empty wilderness. The banquet he said had gone to the hearts of the members and made friends for Red Deer and if the claims of Edmonton could be explained away, he stood ready to support Red Deer for the capital.

Mr. Woolf of Cardston, said there were twenty-five constituencies brim full of capital sites. He believed that the Legislature would make a wise choice and he hoped all the towns aspiring for the capital would be willing to abide by the choice.

Mr. Bredin reminded his hearers that it was as far from Peace River to the northern boundary of the province as from Red Deer to the southern boundary.

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